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SUBJECT: RUMORED FDA ACTION ON TERRAMYCIN

1. PFIZER INFORMED DEPARTMENT MARCH 28 THAT BRAZILIAN DEPUTY HAD ANNOUNCED THAT FDA HAD TAKEN ACTION TO WITHDRAW TERRAMYCIN FROM US MARKET. CERTIFICATION SERVICE OF FDA INFORMS US THAT NO REPEAT NO SUCH ACTION HAS BEEN TAKEN OR IS BEING CONTEMPLATED. EMBASSY MAY WISH TO MAKE OFFICIAL STATEMENT TO THIS EFFECT, IF ASKED.

2. FYI: FDA ALSO INFORMS US THAT IT IS INVESTIGATING NEED FOR POSSIBLE LABELING CHANGES FOR CERTAIN TYPE OF INJECTABLE TERRAMYCIN PRODUCT USED FOR LIVESTOCK. SINCE INVESTIGATION IS STILL IN-HOUSE MATTER, EMBASSY SHOULD MAKE NO REPEAT NO PUBLIC REFERENCE TO THIS. NO REPEAT NO OTHER TERRAMYCIN PRODUCTS CURRENTLY UNDER INVESTIGATION END FYI. RUSH

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